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Containerships Receives *First LNG-powered Boxship*

Multimodal transporter Containerships Plc announced the delivery of its first LNG-powered container vessel, M/S Containerships Nord. She was delivered to Containerships at Wenchong Shipyard, China, on 12.12.2018.

A press release from the Finland-headquartered shorts-sea specialist said that its LNG-story started in 2013, when the decision to build the new environmentally friendly LNG-powered vessels was taken.

LNG is a relatively new fuel source, and these vessels would be the first new-builds based on this technology to serve regularly European ports and trade, Containerships said.

– By taking this decision, we accepted the chal-

lenge of building with a new technology. It has been a rewarding project full of learning opportunities”, they say at Containerships.

– This project has required high levels of expertise and constant development. Success requires excellent co-operation between the involved parties. Needless to describe how proud and enthusiastic we are of having received the first vessel.”

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